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Mr. SPEAKER : கேள்விகள் 434-ம், 435-ம் பாலிடெக்னிக்கைப் பற்றியதாக இருபபதால் அவை இரண்டையும் ஒன்ருக எடுத்துக் கொள்ளலாம்.

Polytechnics

* 434 *Q.*—Sri T. T. DANIEL : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state the number of Polytechnics proposed to be opened during the Second Five-Year Plan period, district-war?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : The following four polytechnics are proposed to be opened during the Second Five-Year Plan period in addition to the two opened at Avadi (Madras) and at Pollachi (Coimbatore) in 1957–58 :—

1. Tanjore district—1.
2. Salem district—1.
3. Ramnad district—1.
4. Tirunelveli district—1.

* 435 *Q.*—Sri A. VEDARATHNAM : கனம் நிதி அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவுசெய்து பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) தஞ்சை ஜில்லாவில் பாலிடெக்னிக் ஆரம்பிக்கும் விஷயமாக தனி நபரிடமிருந்து விண்ணப்பம் ஏதேனும் வந்திருக்கிறதா ?

(ஆ) அப்படியாளுல் அதன் விவரமென்ன ?

(இ) தனி நபர்கள் ஆரம்பிக்கும் பாலிடெக்னிக்குகளுக்கு அரசாங்கத் திடமிருந்து என்ன உதவி கிடைக்கும் ?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : (*a*) & (*b*) Yes, Sir. A proposal for starting a Polytechnic at Tanjore has been received from Sri K. M. Desigar, M.L.C. It is under the consideration of the Government. The Government of India's formal sanction is awaited in the matter.

(*c*) The following quantum of financial assistance is extended to private Polytechnic by the State Government :—

Non-Recurring : 25 per cent of the expenditure.

Recurring : 50 per cent of the approved recurring net expenditure arrived at after deducting the tuition fees and any other net income derived in working the institute and the grant given by the Government of India.

The Government of India will share 50 per cent of the non-recurring and 50 per cent of the total recurring expenditure till the end of Second Five-Year Plan period.

Sri T. T. DANIEL : Will the Hon. Minister be pleased to state the nature of the financial assistance which is given by the Central Government to our State Government in opening Polytechnics and also the principles that are generally adopted by the Government in opening such polytechnics. Also if any private people come forward to open polytechnics in that area, will they be allowed or encouraged to open such Polytechnics?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : I have already stated that the Government of India will share 50 per cent of the non-recurring and 50 per cent of the total recurring expenditure till the end of the